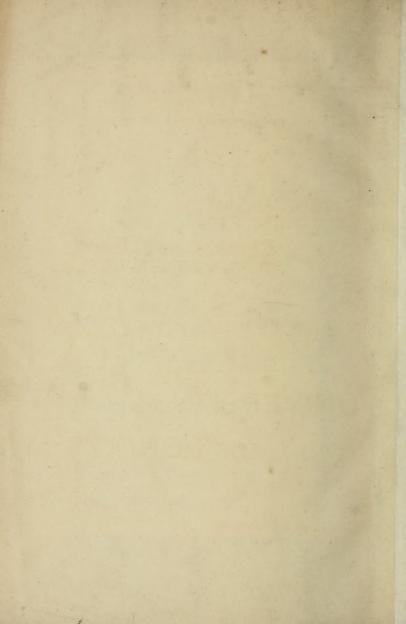
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Any single Subject	4	4	0
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#### FOR AN UNCONSTITUTIONAL PROPOSAL.

#### ARGUMENT BY LIBANIUS.

THERE were at Athens two assemblies, the one perpetual, which, on the Hill of Ares, gave judgment about wilful murders, woundings, and such-like matters; the other, administrative; this latter was changed annually, and consisted of 500 men who had reached the senatorial age. And there was a law enjoining this assembly to build new triremes, and forbidding it to ask for a reward from the people unless it built them. On this occasion, then, the Senate did not build the triremes, but Androtion moved in the popular assembly a decree giving a crown to the Senate. Hereupon he is indicted for an unconstitutional proposal, his accusers being two enemies, Euctemon and And Euctemon has spoken first, Diodorus follows with this speech. And the accusers say, first, that the decree had not been submitted to the Senate (for there was a law forbidding a proposal to be laid before the people before it was sanctioned by the Senate, and Androtion, contrary to this law, brought forward his measure unapproved by the Senate); secondly, that it was opposed to the law which enjoined that a Senate which had not built the triremes should not ask for a reward, and, if the asking is forbidden, plainly the giving also is not allowed. Such is the law of the question. They also bring forward two charges against the person, the one of immoral life, the other of public debt, and they say that Androtion is disfranchised on both counts; for he had both lived a life of debauchery, and his father's debt was still owing to the State.

#### SECOND ARGUMENT.

There existed at Athens different kinds of magistracies, of which some were called Klerotae, others Cheirontonetae, and others Haeretae. And the first are those filled by drawing lots, as the offices of Dikasts; the second by show of hands in the popular assembly, as those of the Generals; and the third by voting, as those of the Choregi. And of the first kind was the Senate of the Five Hundred. And we say "of the Five Hundred" in contradistinction to that of the Areiopagus. For there are three differences between them. And the first is, that the Senate of the Five Hundred administers State affairs, but that of the Areiopagus only criminal matters; and if any one should say that the latter is wont to regulate the State, we say that, when very urgent necessity has arisen, then only has it deliberated on State affairs. The second difference is, that the Senate of the Five Hundred consists of a limited number, and the latter of an unlimited. For, as some of the orators say, the nine Archons are yearly added to it; but, according to others, the six Thesmothetae only. For there were six Thesmothetae, who took cognisance of morality; and there were also three others-one the Eponymus, from whom also the year was called Eponymus; the second the Basileus, who regulated the affairs of orphans and judged sacrilege; the third the Polemarch, who had charge of the military department. And the Thesmothetae ruled for a year only, being examined before their magistracy about all their previous life. And if they were found just in every respect, they ruled for one Then again, after the year, they were examined to see if they had ruled well in it. And, when proved to have ruled justly, they were added to the Senate of the Areiopagites. And thus these latter did not fall under rules in respect of number. But if not, they were expelled. The third difference is, that the Senate of Five Hundred was changed yearly, but that of the Areiopagites was perpetual; for, unless any member committed a great crime, he was not expelled. But, since our concern is not with the Senate of the Arciopagus, but with the Five

Hundred, it behoves us to learn how it ruled. One must know, then, that the Atheniaus did not reckon their months according to the course of the sun, as we do, but by that of the moon. For, by the sun's course, one year has 365 days, so that it follows that the month contains 30 days and a third and a twelfth of a day. For 10 times 30 is 300, and twice 30 is 60; five are left. The third of the 12 is 4, one remains; the twelfth of the one is 2 hours. While, according to the moon's course, the year contains 354 days, so it follows that the month contains 29\frac{1}{2}. 10 times 20 is 200, twice 20 is 40, 10 times 9 is 90, twice 9 is 18, and the half of the 12 is 6. So that altogether there are 354 days; but, according to the sun's course, 11 days are left, and the Athenians, adding these in together every third year, made the intercalary month of 33 days. At any rate, the year, according to the moon's course, contains 354 days. And these last days the Athenians called days of election; and in them Attica was without magistrates, and in these they brought forward the Archons for election. The Five Hundred then ruled for 350 days. But, since they were many and administered business with difficulty, they divided themselves into ten sets according to their tribes, by fifties; for each tribe elected that number. So it followed that the fifty ruled the others for thirty-five days. For these 35 days are the tenth part of their year. But since, again, the fifty were a large number to conduct government at once, the ten chosen by lot ruled for one day of the seven, and in like manner each of the others according to lot ruled his own day, until the seven days were completed. And it resulted that, of the Archons, three did not hold office. And each. when ruling for one day, was called the Chairman. And why, pray, did he rule for one day only, since he was entrusted with the keys of the Acropolis and all the money of the city? Well, so that he should not be seized with a passion for absolute power, for this reason they allowed him to rule for one day only. One must know, too, that the fifty were called Prytanes, and the ten Proedri, while the one was called the Chairman. But we must pass on to the argument of the speech before us.

It was customary for the Senate of Five Hundred to receive money from the people with which to build new triremes; while there was a law, that the Senate which appeared to the people to have taken wise measures should be crowned. This Senate, then, which is the subject of our speech, received the money from the people, but did not build the triremes; though it seemed, in all other respects, to have acted well. And so Androtion the orator, being a leading man in this Senate, moved the proposal for the Senate to be crowned. And this proposal was attacked, as being unconstitutional, by Euctemon and Diodorus, who were enemies of Androtion. The question then turns on matters of fact contained in writings, a consideration for future time, if it is right to do this, or if it is right to give this, or not. And since, for the consideration of the speech, it concerns us to understand the pleas, come, let us first explain those of the accusers. Euctemon and Diodorus then attack the proposal according to four laws, of which the first says that a proposal unsanctioned by the Senate must not be brought before the popular assembly. For, because this assembly is numerous, and is often led astray, not thinking whether a measure contains a lurking flaw, it is first sent before the Senate of the Five Hundred; and this examines it to see if it contains any defect or flaw; and thus it is laid before the popular assembly. The defendant ought then first to have brought his proposal before the Senate; but he did not introduce it, for the Senate had just lately come into power, and he feared lest it should be opposed. For every man likes to show that his predecessor has ruled badly. The second law is, that the Senate which has built the triremes should ask for a reward. The third law, that a man of immoral life shall not take part in the government. The fourth, that a public debtor should have no part in politics. But let us also mention the pleas of the defendant. Androtion then quotes precedent in opposition to the first law; for he says that it is ruled by precedent that a proposal unsanctioned by the Senate can be brought before the popular assembly. And he opposes the second on legal grounds; for he also brings forward a second law, which orders that the Senate, if it appear to the people to have passed good measures, should be crowned. And to the other two he makes reply by a bill of exceptions, saying that it is not on this occasion that he should be tried on these points. And some have tried to show that this speech is concerned with matters of fact, in opposition to conflicting legal issues, saying, "See, here also two laws are brought into conflict, owing to a circumstance, of which the one has been transgressed through the fulfilment of the other." But we say that, in a case of facts as opposed to one of conflicting laws, neither is transgressed, but we consider which ought to be transgressed. While in the present speech it is not so. For the one of the laws has been transgressed, that which says that a Senate which has not built triremes should not ask for a reward. And this is not peculiar to a case of facts as against one of conflicting statutes, but belongs to the latter only.

One must also know that, when there are two accusers, of whom one is younger and the other older, the latter undertakes the introductory speech, according to his position; as, in this case, Euctemon, being the elder, made the first speech, and pronounced the opening and the setting forth of the case, and a part of the arguments. While Diodorus, being a private citizen, got the present speech from Demosthenes. And it is a secondary speech,

and contains what Euctemon left out.

#### THE SPEECH AGAINST ANDROTION.

1. Just as Euctemon, gentlemen of the jury, having been ill-treated by Androtion, thinks at once to seek justice for the State and satisfaction for himself, I too will endeavour to do this, if I by any means can. And it has chanced that, while Euctemon has endured many cruel injuries in violation of all laws, they are less than the troubles which have befallen me through Androtion. For he has been wronged in purse, and by an unjust expulsion from among you; while not one of living men would have associated with me if the misrepresentations

of the defendant had found credence with you. 2. For he charged me with what any one would shrink from mentioning who did not happen to be like him, namely, that I had murdered my own father; and having trumped up an indictment for impiety, not against me, but against my uncle, charging him with impiety, because he associated with me after the commission of the deed, he brought me to a trial, in which, if I had happened to be convicted, who would have suffered more cruel wrongs than I by his contrivance? For what man, either friend or stranger, would ever have been willing to meet me? And what state would have suffered anywhere within its bounds a man supposed to be guilty of such impiety? There is none. 3. I then, when on my defence, was acquitted of this charge by you, not narrowly, but so that the defendant did not obtain a fifth part of the votes. And on this man, with your aid, I will seek to be revenged, both now and at all other times.

Now, though I could say much more, I will lay aside private wrongs. But, as to the question on which you are now about to vote, and those acts during his political career by which the defendant has done you no small injury, I will try briefly to explain what Euctemon seems to me to have omitted, and what it is better for you to hear. 4. For, if I saw that he had any honest defence to offer to the charge brought against him, I would make no mention of these matters; but I know for certain that he has nothing honest or just to say, but he will seek to deceive you by dressing up delusive arguments to meet each of these charges. For he is, men of Athens, an artist in speech, and during his whole life has devoted himself to this one pursuit. Lest, then, being deceived, you should be persuaded to vote contrary to your oaths, and to acquit this man, who, for many reasons, is deserving of punishment, give your attention to what I shall say, so that, having heard me, you may be able to give the right answer to his arguments.

5. For there is one clever argument he thinks he has, about the omission of a previous resolution of the Senate. There is a law, he says, that if the Senate appear to have

discharged their duties in a manner worthy of reward, the people shall give them their reward. The Chairman, he says, put the question, the people voted, it was carried. There is here, he says, no need of a previous resolution, for what took place was according to law. But my opinion is quite opposed to his, and I think you will agree with me, that resolutions of the Senate are only to be brought forward in those cases which the laws permit, but in cases where the laws do not apply surely no proposal at all should be made. 6. He will say, however, that all Senates which have ever received rewards from you received them in this way, and no previous resolution of the Senate was ever passed for any. But I believe that he is not speaking the truth; nay, more, I am sure of it; but, even if such a statement were ever so true, while the law orders otherwise we ought not surely, because an error has often been committed before, to commit it again now; but, on the contrary, we should begin with you first, and compel the fulfilment of such regulations as the law directs. 7. And do you not talk of the frequency of the practice, but prove that it is right. For, if the laws have been broken formerly and you have followed the practice, you would not justly be acquitted for that reason, but should much the more be condemned. For as, if any of the former wrong-doers had been convicted, you would not have moved the proposal, so, if you now pay the penalty, no one will move it again.

8. Next, as to the law which expressly forbids the Senate to ask for its reward when it has not built the triremes, it is worth your while to hear the defence he will set up, and to observe the shamelessness of his character, by what he will venture to argue. The law, he says, forbids the Senate to ask for a reward if it has built no triremes; I allow it. But, he says, it nowhere hinders the people from granting the reward. If then I gave it at their request, I moved contrary to law; but if I made no mention of the ships in the whole of my decree, but adduced other reasons why the Senate should receive a crown, how did I move contrary to law? 9. To this it is not difficult for you to make a right reply, first, that the Proedri of the Senate and the Chairman who puts these matters to the

vote asked the question and ordered a division, "Who thinks that the Senate has discharged its duties worthily of reward, and who does not?" But surely men who were not asking or expecting to receive anything ought not to have put the question at all. 10. Besides, when Meidias and some others brought charges against the Senate, the Senators, rising to their feet, begged you not to deprive them of their reward. And there is no need for you jurors to learn this from me, for you were present yourselves and know what occurred in the assembly, so that, when he denies that the Senate asked for a reward, give him this answer; but I will prove this to you also, that the law moreover does not allow the people to grant the reward, if the Senate has not built the ships. 11. And for this cause, men of Athens, the law was expressed in this way, that the Senate, if it had not built the triremes, should not be allowed to ask for a reward, that it may be impossible for the people to be misled or deceived. For the framer of the law did not think it right to let the matter depend on the intelligence of speakers, but that whatever he could contrive that was both just and beneficial for the people should be appointed by law. Have you not built the triremes? Then don't ask for your reward. And when it does not allow asking, does it not most strongly forbid granting?

12. It is worth while, men of Athens, further to enquire how it comes that, even if the Senate have discharged all their other duties creditably, still, if they have not built the ships, it is unlawful to ask for their reward. You will find that this stringent enactment is for the people's good. For I think that no one will dispute that, whatever has befallen the State, or now belongs to it, either of good fortune or of the contrary (that I may avoid ill-omened words), has arisen in the one case from the possession, in the other from the want, of a navy. 13. And one might cite many examples, both ancient and modern. But let me first take this example of those which are familiar to all ears. Those men who built the Propylaea and the Parthenon, and adorned the other shrines with the spoils of the barbarians, on which we all justly pride ourselves,

you have surely heard, that after they deserted the city and were blockaded at Salamis, through having triremes they conquered in the naval battle and preserved their own possessions and the State, and conferred many great benefits on the rest of the Greeks, of which not even time can destroy the memory. 14. Well; that is an old and time-worn tale. But, to come to what you have all seen, you know that lately you took aid to the Euboeans in three days, and sent away the Thebans under a truce. Would you have accomplished this so quickly if you had not had the new ships, in which you took over your troops? You could not have done it. And one might mention many other advantages, which have accrued to the city through the good condition of its navy. 15. Yes; but how many misfortunes from its bad condition? will pass over most of them; but in the Decelean War (I will remind you of one old event, which you all know better than I), though many dreadful misfortunes had befallen our countrymen, they were not reduced, to submission until their navy was destroyed. But why speak of time-worn events? In our last war, that against the Lacedaemonians, you know, when it was thought that we were not prepared to send out an expedition, what a state the city was in; vetches were exposed for sale. But when you put to sea, you obtained peace on your own terms. 16. When your ships, then, men of Athens, have such an effect in inclining the balance either way, you have justly made this an indispensable condition of the Senate's receiving its reward. For if they well discharge all their other duties, but do not build these, the instruments by which we originally acquired and still preserve our possessions, I mean the triremes, the rest would be useless. For the safety of the whole must first be secured for the people. This man, however, is so fully persuaded that he has the right to move and propose what he pleases, that, although the Senate has discharged its functions in other respects, as you hear, but has not built the triremes, he has moved a decree to grant it a reward.

17. And that this is not contrary to law, neither could the defendant assert, nor you be made to believe. I hear,

however, that he will urge a plea of this kind, that the Senate is not to blame, but that the treasurer of the shipbuilders ran away with two talents and a half, and the thing has been a misfortune. But I, in the first place, am astonished at this very thing, that he should ask you to give a crown to the Senate for this failure; for I imagined that such honours were confined to successful performances; and I wish, further, to make this observation to you. 18. I deny that it is right to contend for both, that the reward has not been given contrary to law, and that the want of triremes is not the fault of the Senate. For, if it is right to give the reward, even if they have not built any ships, what need to mention through whose fault they were not built? And, if it is not lawful, why should the Senate receive the reward any the more because he can show that it was through this or that man that the ships were not built? 19. And, apart from this, it appears to me that such arguments give you a choice, whether you think it right to listen to pleas and excuses from those who injure you, or to possess ships. For, if you accept these excuses from the defendant, it will be clear to all Senates that it is their business to find out plausible excuses to offer you, not to build triremes; and, in consequence, your money will be spent and you will have no ships. 20. But if, as the law bids, and as beseems men on their oaths, you proceed sternly and absolutely to overrule excuses, and let it be made evident that you have withheld the reward, they will all have the triremes ready for you, seeing that nothing has so much weight with you as the law. However, I will clearly prove to you that no one else is to blame for the neglect of the shipbuilding; for this very Senate, which set aside the law, chose this man for itself.

21. Again, as to the law concerning immorality, he attempts to say that we insult and slander him unfairly; and he says we ought, if we believed these charges to be true, to have appeared against him before the Thesmothetae, so as to risk a thousand drachmas in case we were proved to be false accusers; but that now we are deceiving by empty accusations and abuse, and troubling you with

matters in which you have no jurisdiction. 22. But I think that you ought first to consider this with yourselves, that abuse and accusation are altogether different from proof. For it is accusation when a man makes a bare statement, without furnishing any grounds for believing him; but it is proof when he at the same time demonstrates the truth of what he says. It is necessary, then, that those who prove a case must either produce circumstantial evidence to show you its trustworthiness, or adduce probable arguments, or bring forward witnesses; for of some things it is not possible to give you ocular demonstration; but when a man can offer any of these, you rightly consider that you have sufficient proof of the truth on all occasions. 23. We then prove these charges, not by probable arguments, nor by circumstantial evidence, but by a witness from whom the defendant can most readily obtain satisfaction, a man who has produced a paper, in which all the acts of the defendant's life are written, and who has made himself responsible for his evidence. So that, when he says these charges are mere abuse and accusation, answer him that it is proof, and that his own statements are abuse and accusation. But when he says that we ought to have proceeded by way of denunciation before the Thesmothetae, give him this answer-that we are going to do so, and that now we are rightly referring to this law. 24. For, if we had brought these charges against you when you were on your trial on any other kind of indictment, you might justly be angry; but when you are on your trial for proposing an unconstitutional measure, and the laws do not allow those who have lived such lives to propose even what is lawful, and we show that you have not only moved an unlawful decree, but also lived an unlawful life, how can it be unfitting to refer to a law by which your guilt is proved?

25. And you should also understand that Solon, who enacted these laws and most of the rest, a lawgiver in no respect like the defendant, gave to all who wish to obtain justice for injuries, not one, but many ways of proceeding against the wrong-doers. For he knew, in my opinion, that for persons in the State to be alike, either clever, or

bold, or well-behaved, would be impossible. If, then, he should so frame his laws that only the well-behaved could get justice, he thought that many villains would go unpunished; and, if so as to help the bold and eloquent only, those unversed in public speaking would not be able to get justice in the same way. 26. And he held that no man should be prevented from obtaining justice in the way suited to his abilities. How, then, was this to be? By giving many ways of proceeding at law against wrongdoers; as for theft. Are you strong and confident in yourself? Take the thief to prison; but you risk the loss of a thousand drachmas. Are you less strong? Show the magistrates the way to him. 27. Are you afraid of this too? Indict him. Do you distrust yourself, and are you too poor to pay a thousand drachmas? Sue him for theft before the arbitrator, and you will run no risk. None of these proceedings is the same. For impiety, in the same way, you are allowed to take to prison, indict. sue before the Eumolpids, lay an information before the Basileus. And for all other offences much in the same way. 28. Now if any one, instead of arguing that he is not a wrong-doer, or not guilty of impiety, or of whatever he was being tried for, should think he ought to be acquitted for such reasons as these—if he had been taken up, because you might have sued him before an arbitrator, or ought to have indicted him; and if he were defending an action before an arbitrator, that you should have taken him up, and so risked a thousand drachmassurely it would be ridiculous. For the defendant, if he be innocent, ought not to argue about the method of punishment, but to prove his innocence. 29. In like manner, Androtion, if you propose decrees, after living an immoral life, don't think you are to escape punishment because it is possible for us to denounce you before the The smothetae; but, either prove that you are not guilty, or endure the penalty of having moved when your character was such; for it is not legal to do so. But, if we do not prosecute you in all the ways which the laws allow, be thankful for all that we omit out of those ways; don't on that account think to escape punishment entirely.

30. It is worth your while, men of Athens, to look into the character of Solon, who passed the law, and to consider what forethought he exercised for the constitution in all the laws that he framed, and how much more anxious he was about that than the immediate subject of any law he was passing. One may see this in many ways, but especially in the law which forbids those guilty of immorality to speak or move proposals. For he saw that, though the majority of you are allowed to speak, you do not speak, so that he thought this was no hardship; and he might have passed much severer enactments, if he had wished to punish these men. 31. But he was not anxious about that; he imposed the disabilities I speak of on behalf of you and of the constitution. For he knew, he knew, that to men of infamous lives that form of government is most objectionable in which all are allowed to publish their shame. And what is this? A Democracy. He thought then it would be dangerous, if there should ever happen to be a number of men who were at the same time both eloquent and bold, and infected with these infamous sins. 32. For the people, led astray by them, might commit many errors; and they might either attempt to overthrow the democracy entirely (for in oligarchies, even if men have led still more disgraceful lives than Androtion, it is not lawful to speak ill of the rulers), or they might corrupt the people all they could, so as to make them as like as possible to themselves. Therefore he entirely forbade such men to take any part in public deliberations. that the people might not be betrayed into error. In spite of which, this honourable man not only thought fit to speak and move proposals when under disabilities, but even to make unlawful ones.

33. With regard to the law, according to which, as his father had owed money to the State, and never paid it, he is not allowed to speak or to frame decrees, these are the answers you might reasonably make, if he says we ought to have proceeded by way of denunciation: we shall do this afterwards, but decidedly not now, when you are to give an account of the other wrongs you have committed, but when it is fitting according to the law. But now we

are showing that the law does not allow you to make even such proposals as are allowed to other citizens. 34. Prove, then, that your father was not indebted, or that he escaped from prison, not by running away, but by paying the debt. If you are not able to do this, you have moved a decree when you were not allowed; for the law makes you the inheritor of your father's disfranchisement, and, being disfranchised, you had no right to speak or to move decrees. And as to the laws which we have cited against him, if he should seek to deceive and lead you astray, I think you should give him the answers

which I have explained to you.

35. And he has arguments upon other points, excellently contrived to deceive you, and it is better for you to hear of them beforehand. For he has one to this effect, that you should not deprive of their reward, or involve in disgrace, five hundred from among your numbers. "They are upon their trial," says Androtion, "and not I." But I say that, if your only object were to deprive them, and in no way to benefit the commonwealth, I should not have thought it necessary for you to feel much anxiety about it. But if, by doing this, you will encourage more than ten thousand other citizens to be better men, how much more honourable is it to make so many persons honest, than to gratify five hundred unjustly! 36. That the matter, however, does not concern the whole Senate, but only certain members, who are the causes of the evil, and Androtion, I am able to prove. To whom can it be a disgrace, if he is silent, and frames no resolution, and perhaps very seldom comes into the Senate House, that the Senate should not get their crown? Surely to no man. The shame belongs to him who frames decrees, and manages public business, and persuades the Senate to do what he wants. It was owing to these men that the administration of the Senate has not been worthy of a crown. 37. Granting, however, most absolutely, that the whole Senate are now on their trial, see how much more it is to your advantage to convict them than not. For, if you acquit them, the Senate House will be in the power of the orators; but, if you condemn them, in that of the ordinary members. For the majority of them, having seen the Senate deprived of its crown, through the crimes of the orators, will not leave the business to them, but themselves discuss what is best. And if this should happen, and you should get rid of the old confederacy of orators, you will see, men of Athens, eyerything going as it should. Therefore, on this account, if for nothing else, you should pass sentence against them.

38. Hear also another thing which should not escape you. Perhaps Philippus and Antigenes will mount the Bema, and plead the cause of the Senate, and the checking clerk, and some others, who then, with the defendant, used to manage the Senate House, and are the authors of these malpractices. Now, you should all know that these men, though the pretext of their advocacy is to defend the Senate, in truth will contend on their own behalf and on that of the accounts which they must give of their administration. 39. For the matter stands thus. If you dismiss this impeachment, they are all released, and none of them will ever pay the penalty. For who would convict them, after you had crowned the Senate, of whom they had the guidance? But, if you condemn them, first, you will have given verdict according to your oaths; and next, when you get each of these men at the audits, you will punish him whom you believe to be guilty, and whom not guilty you will then discharge. Do not, then, listen to them as if they were speaking on behalf of the Senate and of the people, but regard them with indignation as persons seeking to deceive you on their own behalf.

40. I believe, also, that Archias of Cholargus (who was a member of the Senate last year) will, as being considered well-principled, petition and plead for them. You ought, I think, when you hear Archias, to do something of this sort—to ask him whether what the Senate is charged with seems to him to be creditable or discreditable; and if he says creditable, no longer listen to him as a well-principled man; and if discreditable, ask him again why he allowed such conduct, while claiming to be an honest man. 41. And if he says he spoke against it, but no one obeyed him, surely it is ridiculous that he

should speak for a Senate which did not hearken to his good advice. But, if he says he was silent, did he not err, if, when it was in his power to dissuade men from wrong-doing, he did not do so, but now dares to argue that men who have done so much mischief ought to be crowned.

42. I think, too, that he will not refrain from this argument, that all this has befallen him through the taxes which he collected on your behalf from a few persons who were not ashamed to be largely in arrear. And to make an end, he will accuse those (it will be easy enough) who did not pay the property tax, and will say that, if you convict him, all people will leave their taxes unpaid with impunity. 43. But do you, men of Athens, consider this first, that you are not sworn to give judgment on these matters, but whether his motion was legal; next, that it is monstrous of one who complains of others wronging the State, to expect to escape punishment himself for his own much greater wrong-doing; for surely it is a much heavier offence to move illegal decrees than not to pay one's property tax. 44. But, even if it were plain that, after Androtion's conviction, no one would be willing to pay taxes or to collect them, that you should not even then acquit him, learn from the following facts. Upon all the taxes from the time of Nausinicus, perhaps on three hundred talents or a little more, there is a deficiency of fourteen talents, of which the defendant collected seven; but I will grant be collected the whole. Now, for those who pay willingly you don't want Androtion, but for the defaulters. 45. You must, therefore, now consider whether you value the constitution, and the established laws, and your oaths, at this price. For if you acquit the defendant, when he has so evidently moved an illegal proposal, you will seem to every one to have preferred this money to the laws and the observance of your oaths; and yet you would not think it worth acceptance if any one offered it you out of his own pocket, much less on condition of your collecting it from others. 46. When, therefore, he urges this, remember your oaths, and consider the indictment, that the question is not about the exaction of property taxes, but whether your laws are to be valid. And with regard to these matters, in what manner he will seek to mislead you by diverting your attention from the law, and, when he urges these points, what you must keep in mind, not to allow him to do so, though I could say much more, yet I think I have said enough, and will let them pass.

47. And I wish also to examine the political conduct of this honourable man, in which it will appear he has stopped short of nothing that is atrocious; for I will . prove him to be shameless, bold, thievish, arrogant, and fit for anything rather than to be a statesman in a democracy. And just let us examine that on which he most prides himself, the collection of the money, not giving heed to this fellow's boasts, but considering the matter as it really occurred. 48. He said that Euctemon retained your taxes, and, promising to prove the charge or himself to pay the money, on this pretence he procured a decree for the deposition of a functionary elected by lot, and so crept into the collection. He harangued you when doing this, giving you a choice of three courses, either to break up your sacred vessels, or to levy a new contribution, or to exact payment from defaulters. 49. And as you naturally chose to exact payment from the defaulters, as he had you in his power by his promises, and had a license because of the crisis, he did not think fit to avail himself of the existing laws, or, if he did not think them sufficient, to pass new ones, but moved shameful and illegal decrees in the assembly, by means of which he made jobs for himself and has largely plundered you, putting in a clause that the Eleven should accompany him. 50. Then, taking them with him, he led the way to the houses of the citizens. And Euctemon, from whom he said he would collect the taxes or make them good himself, he could prove nothing against in this respect, but he collected them from you, as if he had undertaken the business, not because he was Euctemon's enemy, but yours. 51. And let no one understand me to say that payment ought not to have been exacted. For it ought. But how? As the law commands, for the sake of the rest; for this is in accordance with democratic principles. You have not been so much benefited, men of Athens, by all this money being exacted in

such a way, as you have been injured by the introduction of such precedents into the constitution. For, if you would enquire for what reason a man would rather live under a democracy than under an oligarchy, you would find this the most obvious reason, that everything is milder under a democracy. 52. I will, however, omit saving that the defendant has been more outrageous than any oligarchy you like to mention. But when have the most atrocious things been done in our State? In the time of the Thirty, you would all say. Then, however, it is said, no man was deprived of safety who could hide himself at home; but we accuse the Thirty, because they unjustly took men to prison from the market-place. The defendant, however, so surpassed them in brutality, that, while holding office under a democracy, he made every man's private house a prison, conducting the Eleven to your homes. 53. Moreover, men of Athens, what do you think of this, that a poor man, or even a rich one, who had spent a great deal, and perhaps for some reason was short of money, should climb over the roof to his neighbour's house, or creep under the bed, that he might not be caught and dragged to prison, or be subjected to other humiliations befitting slaves and not freemen, and be seen so doing by his wife, whom he married as a freeman and a citizen of the commonwealth; and that Androtion should be the cause of this, a man prevented by his previous actions and course of life from seeking justice on his own behalf, much more on that of the State? 54. And yet, if any one were to ask him whether property or the person is responsible for taxes, he would say property, if he were willing to answer truly; for we contribute from property. Why then, instead of sequestrating lands and houses and scheduling them, did you imprison and insult citizens, and the miserable resident aliens whom you treated with more insolence than your own servants? 55. And indeed, if you will consider what is the difference between a slave and a freeman, you will find this the chief point, that. with slaves the person is answerable for all misdeeds, while with freemen, even if they get into the worst trouble, their person is still inviolable; for in most cases we have

to exact the penalty from them in money. Androtion, however, inflicted corporal punishment, as though on bondsmen. 56. And so basely and selfishly did he act towards you, that he thought it right for his father, who was imprisoned for a public debt, to escape without payment or being brought to trial, but for other citizens, who could not pay taxes out of their own property, to be dragged to prison. Besides, as if he were allowed to do what he liked, he distrained upon Sinope and Phanostrata. women of the town certainly, but not owing any property tax. 57. And if some think they were fit to be harshly treated, this at least is not a right thing to happen, that men should be so insolent upon opportunity offered, as to go to the houses of persons who owe nothing and carry away their furniture. One might find many deserving to be and to have been harshly treated; but the laws and customs of the constitution, which you ought to observe, say quite otherwise. In them there is mercy, indulgence, all things which are due to freemen. 58. In none of which the defendant, by nature or by education, has a share; for he has submitted to many insults and affronts in his connexion with men who never loved, but were able to hire him; for which he ought to vent his anger, not upon the first citizen that meets him, nor upon prostitutes of the same trade as himself, but on his father who brought him up in such a manner. 59. That these actions were not shameful and against all law, he will not be able to contend; but he is so shameless that in the popular assembly, striving always to anticipate his defence to this indictment, he dared repeatedly to say that on your account, and through you, he had drawn enemies upon himself, and was now in extreme peril. But I wish to show you, men of Athens, that he neither has suffered, nor is likely to suffer, any evil through what he did on your account; but through his own abominable and godless actions, though up to the present day he has suffered nothing, he will suffer, if you act justly. 60. For just consider. What did he promise you, and what did you appoint him to do? -To collect money. To do anything besides this?-Nothing. Come now, I

will remind you of the particulars of these collections. He exacted from Septines, of Coele, thirty-four drachmas; from Theoxenus, of Alopece, seventy drachmas and a little more; and from Callicrates, the son of Eupherus, and the young son of Telestus-I don't remember his name-however, of all that he levied upon, not to mention them severally, I hardly know if there was one that owed more than a mina. 61. Do you think, then, that these men severally hate and are hostile to him on account of his tax-collecting, or rather for different reasons; one. because he said, in the hearing of you all in the popular assembly, that he was a slave, and descended from slaves. and ought to be rated at the sixth part of his property. together with the aliens; another, he declared, had children by a common woman; this man's father had been debauched; that one's mother was a prostitute; another's thefts he had been scheduling from the beginning: another, he said this and that about; another, he abused by wholesale; and so on with all? And I know that they all, against whom he so intemperately conducted himself, each of them considered the tax to be a necessary expense; but they have been grievously angered at these humiliations and insults. 62. And I know well that you appointed this man to collect money, not to bring forward and throw in the face of each man his private misfortunes. For, if they were true, you should not have mentioned them: for all of us meet with many things that we don't like; and if you invented them, contrary to truth, what would you not justly suffer? 63. However, you shall learn yet more certainly that they all hate him, not for his collecting, for the insolence and violence with which they have been treated. For Satyrus, the superintendent of the naval stores, collected for you, not seven talents only, but thirty-four, from these same men, out of which he provided the tackling for the ships which sailed out. He does not pretend that he has any enemy on this account, nor that any of those from whom he levied are hostile to him. And reasonably so. For he, I believe, did what was required of him; but you, in your reckless haste and insolence, having acquired some authority, thought right

to overwhelm with false and foul reproaches men who had expended large sums on the State, and who were better, and of better family, than yourself. 64. Then must the jury believe that you did this for their sakes, and take upon themselves the acts of your callousness and dishonesty? They ought to hate, rather than protect, you for such conduct. For a man who acts for the State should imitate the character of the State; and you, men of Athens, should countenance such persons, and hate all such as the defendant. And perhaps you know this, but still I will tell it you—Whatever kind of persons you seem to cherish and support, these you will be thought to resemble.

65. And that he has not made this collection at all on your behalf, this I will quickly show you. For if he were asked who he thinks do the greater injury to the State, those who farm and live frugally, but through having to maintain children, through domestic expenses and other public burdens, are in arrear with their taxes, or those who plunder and waste the money of people who have readily paid their property-tax, and that which comes from the allies; surely, impudent as he is, he would not dare to say that those who do not contribute their own property commit greater wrong than those who steal that of the public. 66. For what reason, then, you abominable fellow, when you have been engaged in public life for more than thirty years, and in that time many generals have wronged the State, and many orators, who have been tried before these, your fellow-citizens, some of whom have been put to death for their crimes, and others withdrew, and are in exile - why did you never appear as the accuser of any of them, and were you never seen to show indignation at the wrongs of the State, although you are so audacious and eloquent; but here you appeared zealous for our interests, where it was necessary for you to ill-treat so many people? 67. Do you want me, men of Athens, to tell you the reason of this? It is because they participate in the wrongs done you by certain persons, and embezzle a part of the taxes they levy; and, through the insatiable avarice of their character, they reap a double harvest from the State. For it is not more agreeable to quarrel with a large number of petty offenders than with a small number of great ones, and surely it is not more like a friend of the people to notice the crimes of the many than those of the few. But this is the reason that I tell you. He knows he is one of that class of wrong-doers; while he held you as of no account, and so he treated you in that way. 68. For, if you acknowledged vourselves to be a state of bondsmen, instead of men claiming empire over others, you would not have endured, men of Athens, the insults which he offered you in the market-place, when he was binding and taking to prison both aliens and citizens, bawling in the assemblies and on the Bema, calling people slaves and sons of slaves, who were better, and of better descent, than himself, and asking if the prison were built with no object. Yes, I should say it was, when your father went dancing off with his fetters at the procession of the Dionysia. But the rest of his acts of insolence no one could recount, so great is their multitude. For all of which collectively you should take vengeance to-day, and make him an example to others, that they may conduct themselves with more moderation.

69. But perhaps, notwithstanding these political faults, there are other things which he has managed creditably. Nay, on the contrary, his whole political life as regards you has been such, that what you have heard are the smallest grounds for detesting him. For what would you have me mention? His repair of the sacred vessels, and his destruction of the crowns: or his famous manufacture of the bowls? Why, for all these, if he had done no other wrong to the State, it will appear that he deserves to die, not once, but three times; for he is chargeable with sacrilege and impiety and theft, and everything else that is most outrageous. 70. The greater part of what he said to deceive you I will pass over. Pretending that the leaves of the crowns were dropping off and that they were rotten from age, as if they were of roses or violets and not of gold, he persuaded you to melt them down. And then, though for the taxes he added a clause that the public slave should be present, a pretence of justice, when

each man that paid was certain to check the accounts; yet for the crowns, which he broke up, he did not apply the same just rule, but has himself been orator, goldsmith, treasurer, and checking-clerk. 71. Now, if you thought you ought to be trusted in all that you did for the State, you would not have been so clearly seen to be peculating; but now, having defined what is just for the property-tax, when in another matter, the alteration of sacred properties, some of which were not consecrated even in our own generation, you are found not to have introduced the same safeguards which you did in the case of the taxes, is not the motive of your actions obvious? I think it is. 72. And moreover, men of Athens, look what honourable and admirable public inscriptions for all future time he destroyed, and what impious and shameful ones he has written in their stead. I think you have all seen the inscriptions written beneath the rings of the crowns-"The allies crown the people of Athens for valour and justice"; or, "The allies present as the prize of victory to Athene"; or, naming the cities, " Such and such a people crown the Athenians, having been saved by the Athenians"-as, for example, there was somewhere inscribed, "The Euboeans, having been set free, crown the people of Athens"; and again, "Conon after the seafight with the Lacedaemonians." Such were the inscriptions upon the crowns. 73. These, then, which brought you so much admiration and honour, have been obliterated by the destruction of the crowns; and on the bowls, which this impure wretch ordered to be made for you in their stead, is inscribed, "They were made by the care of Androtion." And though, for his immorality, the laws forbid him to enter the temples, his name is in the temples engraved on the bowls. Like the former inscriptions, is it not, and reflecting equal credit on you?

74. One may see, then, that three most disgraceful deeds have been accomplished by them: the goddess they have sacrilegiously despoiled of her crowns; in the State, they have extinguished the glory accruing from those actions of which the crowns, while they existed, were a memorial; the dedicators they have robbed of no small honour, the

credit of being grateful for obligations. Yet, having wrought this great multitude of evil deeds, they have reached such a pitch of shamelessness and audacity that they make mention of these things as honourable acts in their administration, and the one thinks that through his friend he will be protected by you, and the other sits by and does not sink into the earth for shame at his performances. 75. And he is not only so shameless with regard to money, but so dull as not to know that crowns are a token of merit, while bowls and the like are signs of wealth; and every crown, even if small, brings the same distinction as a large one; while cups and censers, if exceedingly numerous, cover their possessor with a certain showy varnish of wealth, yet if a man prides himself upon small matters, so far is he from obtaining honour on that account, that he is thought to be destitute of taste and good feeling. The defendant, however, has destroyed the possessions of honour, and has made those of wealth insignificant and unworthy of you. 76. And he did not even see that the Athenians never cared for the acquirement of wealth, but for glory were more ambitious than for anything else. Here is the proof: they once possessed greater wealth than any of the Greeks, but expended it all to win distinction, and, making contributions from their private property, they shrank from no peril in the pursuit of glory. By which means they have gained for themselves imperishable treasures, partly the memory of their achievements, partly the splendour of the sacred edifices raised to commemorate them, the Propylaea yonder, the Parthenon, porticoes and docks, -not a pair of little jars, four or perhaps three golden saucers, each weighing a mina, which, when you please, you will again move a proposal to melt down. 77. Not by levying tithes upon themselves, not by doing what their enemies would pray for, doubling the taxes, did they raise these sacred monuments; not by the help of such counsellors as you did they carry on the government; but by conquering their enemies, by doing what every well-minded citizen would wish, uniting the people in concord, and by expelling from the market-place men of such lives as

yours, they have left behind them a fame that will never die. 78. But you, men of Athens, have arrived at such a degree of stupidity and carelessness, that, though you have such examples, you do not imitate them; but Androtion is the repairer of your sacred vessels. Androtion, O earth and heaven! I hold that a man who enters the shrines and touches the holy water and sacred baskets, and presides over the services of the gods, ought not to be pure for a stated number of days only, but to have been pure all his life from those practices in which the defendant's existence has been passed.

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